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SATURDAY
Ruth Roland in "Haunted Valley,"
and Neal Hart in "Danger Valley."
and
An Aesop's Fable.

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Viola Dana in
"The Fourteenth Lover."

SCORES DEAD IN SCHOOL FIRE

COMMUTATION FOR WILSON WILL BE OPPOSED

ALMON STATES HE WILL FIGHT PLAN

Solicitor Says People Of Limestone Against Commutation

CONDEMNED MAN SAYS NOT GUILTY

Efforts Are Continued In Behalf Of The Noted Prisoner

Any effort to obtain commutation of the sentence of death imposed on Tom Wilson in connection with the murder of Kirby Cole, of Athens, will be opposed by the people of Limestone county, and by the circuit solicitor's office, according to an announcement Friday by D. C. Almon, solicitor of the Eighth judicial district.

Mr. Almon declared Wilson had been identified as one of the passengers in the automobile in which Cole met death by June Inman, taxicab driver, according to press reports received here from Birmingham. Wilson admits having been in trouble with the authorities before, but denies having any knowledge of the murder, and says he was in Huntsville on the night of the tragedy.

Efforts recently have been made to establish an alibi for him, according to The Huntsville Daily Times, which says that six affidavits have been obtained there, tracing Wilson's movements and tending to show that he was in that vicinity on the night of the murder.

Shocking Tragedy.

The killing of Kirby Cole, prominent young Athens man, on the night of November 8, 1921, was one which shocked the entire section. According to stories of the killing, related immediately afterward, Inman, who operated a taxi, requested Cole, a friend, to go with him on a trip with two men who desired to be driven to Clements in, a distance out of Athens in a rural section.

The party left Athens shortly after dark, but after getting well out of the city, one of the men, both of whom sat on the rear seat, shot Cole to death, the body partially falling against Inman. The passengers, however, forced Inman to continue driving, until he contended the weight of the body was interfering with his control of the machine. One of the men then was alleged to have dragged the body to the side of the road, later entering the car.

The car continued on toward Elkhorn, until Ardmore was reached, then Inman complained of needing gas and water. When he got out of the car he jumped behind shelter and fired out an alarm, the passengers disappearing in the darkness.

Arrested in St. Louis.

Wilson was arrested in St. Louis, after his companion, Grady Christopher, was shot by police. Wilson's own story of that part of his life is given by the Birmingham Age-Herald as follows:

"First of all," he declared, "I was in Huntsville Tuesday night, November 8, 1921—the night of Cole's murder—and which I absolutely knew nothing about until several months later. I was living in Huntsville with my relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Wallace, Mrs. Wallace being my half-sister. I was working for Mr. Wallace, and for Ben Cowley, my half-brother. Both of them have stores here. I had taken a young lady to church Sunday night, and was at the Wallaces Tuesday night, because I was figuring on going back next day to see the girl, who lived out in the country in a different direction from Athens, where Mr. Wallace went to gather butter and eggs. But I didn't go because Mr. Wallace told me he wasn't going by the girl's house. So I went over to help in Ben Cowley's store instead.

"Furthermore, I didn't even know Kirby Cole—never heard of him in my life till a warrant was brought for my arrest."



L. G. Weckbaugh, of Los Angeles, Cal., is so impressed with the marvelous powers of the new drug, adrenalin, that he has offered to permit physicians to stop his heartbeats for five hours and then inject the restoring fluid into his heart muscles, firmly believing it would instantly restore his heart to its normal action.

KIWANIS IS STRONG FOR HOME AGENT

President Baird and Mrs. Austell Speak For the Project

MONEY NEEDED CAN BE RAISED

Executive is of Opinion Fund Can Be Raised By the County

One of the chief features of an interesting meeting of the Kiwanis Club held at the Y. M. C. A. last evening was the action taken by the club in favor of the board of revenue devising ways and means for the employment of a county farm demonstration agent, to assist the farm women of the county. President Baird, of the club, took issue with those who said enough money—\$1,000, to be exact—could be secured to bring a farm demonstration agent to Morgan County. "This county is not bankrupt," said Mr. Baird, "nor it is in sufficiently straitened circumstances," he continued, "to prevent the raising of the comparatively small sum of \$1,000.

"Especially do I believe this is true, when it is a fact that for the \$1,000 we are asked to furnish, the county is asked to get \$1,000 additional for the home demonstration department. I consider that we are getting a free gift of \$1,000 for making an investment of \$1,000.

"The argument advanced by some that the department is not wanted is not a valid one. People do not know what they want until they have tasted it—until they have tried a thing.

"I am sure I am safe in saying that all who heard Miss Evelyn Peyton speak here lately in support of a home demonstration department, or who read carefully the account of her speech in The Daily, have nothing but praise in support of the idea of getting a farm demonstration agent for this county.

"It has been argued that the farmers themselves have shown little interest in the project. They are too busy just at this time to take time off from their work."

HEARING OPENED ON POWER LINE PLANS

Huntsville Delegation Of Manufacturers Announces Petition

PATTERSON READ A. P. C. PETITION

Attorneys Then Begin The Introduction Of Of Their Testimony

By Associated Press
BIRMINGHAM, Ala., May 18.—Representatives of Huntsville manufacturers appeared as the first witnesses before the Alabama public service commission here today in connection with a hearing on petitions of the Alabama Power company to build a transmission line from Huntsville to Sheffield and a power unit to Lock 17 on the Warrior river.

These witnesses favored granting permission asked in order to afford additional power for their industries, which they said was needed at times.

This contention was vigorously opposed by witnesses representing Tennessee Valley towns.

Among the municipalities represented at the hearing are Florence, Tuscaloosa, Huntsville, Albany, Decatur, Town Creek, Sheffield, Tusculuma and Rogersville.

Douglas Taylor of Huntsville, conducted the direct examination of those manufacturers and representatives of interests of the Huntsville district at the opening testimony and the cross examination was conducted by H. A. Bradshaw of Florence, with S. C. Cooke and J. L. Andrews present as representatives of the chamber of commerce and city government of Sheffield, aided by R. M. Jones, secretary of the chamber of commerce of Florence; A. R. Armstrong of Town Creek; H. A. Skeggs of Decatur, Walter M. Chenault and T. A. Bowles of Albany, also among those present.

After President Patterson had read the petition of the power company for permission to construct the desired transmission line to be 70 miles in length, running through three counties, Madison, Limestone and Colbert, Attorney Douglas Taylor of Huntsville, called as the first witness L. Aiken, agent of the Lincoln cotton mills of Huntsville. Mr. Aiken, in the course of his direct testimony, stated that his mill started operation in 1919 and that the installation of hydro-electric power was completed in 1920 and a total of 1,800 horsepower was installed after 500 horsepower had been used for about three months as an experiment.

The total cost of the new equipment to the mill, together with the installation, was \$110,000, according to Mr. Aiken, prior to which time coal and steam power had been used.

Mr. Aiken, in response to further questions by Mr. Taylor, stated that the service had been satisfactory with the exception of a few interruptions when all machinery stopped along with the pay of employees, and otherwise disorganized the running of the mill. He stated that officials of the Alabama Power company had promised that as soon as the business warrants it would have another line to supplement the line now frequently disorganizing the mills whenever a storm or other unforeseen happening causes breaks.

The capital invested in his mills is \$2,000,000, said Mr. Aiken. It employs 750 persons representing a population of between 1,500 and 1,800, and uses 13,000 bales of cotton annually.

W. M. Wellman of Huntsville, the next witness, stated that he had lived in that city for 30 years, coming there as a child, that his father was engaged in the cotton mill business 15 years and he, himself, 13 years.

Witnesses representing the Tennessee Valley towns will appear before the public service commission Friday afternoon to present the reasons why they do not desire the commission to grant the Alabama Power company permission to build the line.

Grim Tragedy Stalks In Wake Of Comedy, Tears Follow Laughs

COUNTY CHECKS UP TOLL OF HOLOCAUST

Seventy-one Known To Be Dead, Two Missing and Many Hurt

ENTIRE FAMILIES ARE WIPED OUT

Play Presented By The Senior Class Halted By Fire Horror

(Associated Press.)
CAMDEN, S. C., May 18.—Kershaw County today counted the cost of the fire that last night destroyed the Cleveland school, eight miles from here.

Seventy-one known dead, men, women and children, and two missing, together with dozens more or less seriously injured were being counted this morning.

Five injured are in a hospital here. The dead include 40 children, 16 men and 15 women.

The exact number of injured could not be ascertained this morning; attention being centered on care of the injured and identification and care of the bodies of the dead.

Eye-witnesses to the horror today still were so shaken that but few could talk of it.

The blaze that in some instances wiped out entire families, leaving none to care for the dead, started near the close of the comedy, "Stony Brook," being presented by the senior class of the school as a part of its commencement exercises.

The bracket on which hung a lamp over the stage gave way. The lamp fell on the stage and exploded. Burning oil flashed over the stage, igniting flimsy draperies.

Men, women and children made a rush for the single exit from the room. The scene, according to persons present, was indescribable. Mothers with babies in their arms were trampled under foot. Cooler heads attempted to quell the panic, but without avail.

Then the stairway collapsed, hurling the mass into the lower floor and killing many under a squirming, screaming mass. Some were pinned by fallen timbers. Mothers, trapped on the second floor, hurled their children to safety in eagerly waiting arms of persons who had escaped, and then fell back into the flames, giving their lives that their children might live.

Men who made their way out of the building returned when they saw the situation and endeavored to rescue the injured and imperiled. Some of these died in the flames.

The fire spread so rapidly, however, that little could be done after the first rush. The little wooden building burned rapidly and within a short time little was left but a pile of ashes, within which lay bodies of scores.

This morning all except two of the persons known to be in the building had been accounted for. Seventy-one bodies had been excavated from the ruins and search was continuing for trace of two young men.

The majority of the homes in Kershaw County, and many throughout the state, were touched by the fire. In Camden fully half the business houses were closed and many homes displayed crepe. Thirteen Camden residents are known to be among the dead.

Chinese Ambassador In Washington



Dr. Sze, Chinese minister to the United States, has returned to Washington, after a protracted absence, to handle the diplomatic situation brought about by the kidnapping of American citizens from the Shanghai-Peking railway.

MAN AND WOMAN HELD IN ROBBERY

By Associated Press
BIRMINGHAM, Ala., May 18.—C. M. Wall, said to be a wealthy citizen of Tampa, Fla., and Miss Molly McCann, Tampa, were held in the city jail here today for questioning in connection with the robbery of a grocery store here Sunday night, according to officials.

Wall and Miss McCann were arrested at a fashionable hotel. The man and woman are said to have been in Birmingham since May 12.

Expert cracksmen secured \$2,500 in cash in the grocery robbery. J. W. (Cannon Ball) Wells of Tampa, is also under arrest in connection with the case.

When Miss McCann and Wall were placed in the city jail, Miss McCann broke down under the strain and wept bitterly as her name was being entered on the jail docket. Wall, although apparently experiencing a severe nervous strain, checked his emotions as he kissed her farewell.

He gulped several glasses of water, lighted a cigarette and calmly walked into the jail as the heavy iron door closed behind him.

Kiwanis Paper Is Sent To Members

Carrying the descriptive phrase: "The Worst Newspaper in the World," at its masthead, "The Vulture," a very frail journalistic bark, according to its "Near Editor," has set sail for the port of nowhere by the ocean lanes of "bye-and-bye."

The few definite things appearing on the first and only page of the newspaper is that Marvin Rankin is "Near Editor," that the sheet—printed on one side only, according to the wishes of copy readers—is gotten out "weekly" by and for the Morgan Kiwanis Club, that its "price is reasonable," that it is printed in "Albany-Decatur, Ala.," and that the first issue is Volume 0, Number 0.

The paper says it is "non-political, non-sectarian," and that it prints "no news, all the time."

KERSHAW TURNED TO PLACE OF MOURNING

Climax of Play Near in School When Lamp Falls and Explodes

STAIR COLLAPSES KILLING SCORES

Panic-Stricken Crowd Rushes For Exits As Flames Lick Them

By Associated Press
CAMDEN, S. C., May 18.—Deaths in the Cleveland school house fire at 11:15 o'clock this morning stood at 73, with one person missing, according to a corrected list made public at that hour.

The body of Donnie Truesdale, listed as missing, was identified during the morning. The body of Huey Hinson, not previously listed among the dead, was also found.

CAMDEN, S. C., May 18.—Grim tragedy, stalking in the wake of mirthful comedy today had turned Kershaw County into a community of mourning.

The climax of the commencement play of the Cleveland school, a rural institution, eight miles from here, had been reached shortly after 9 o'clock last night when an oil lamp on the little stage was overturned and exploded. In an instant the stage was a mass of flames. Panic seized the audience of parents, brothers, sisters and relatives of the graduating class, who had come proudly to honor the youngsters that had crowded the little auditorium.

Some 300 were in the room. There was a concerted rush for the single exit that led to the narrow, wooden stairway. The weight of the mass was too much for the steps and they collapsed, hurling scores into a tangled mass, numbers being crushed to death.

In a breath, it seemed to persons who escaped, the entire building was wrapped in flames, and within an hour the building was little more than a heap of smoldering ashes, the funeral pyre of more than three and a half score of Kershaw County citizens, in some instances entire families being wiped out.

Scarcely a home in Kershaw County but what was affected by the disaster. Many Camden people had gone to witness the playette, some of them being numbered among the victims of the fire. Five injured are in the hospital here, but all are too badly hurt or too young to talk about it.

Cleveland school is located in the center of a fertile section, but scarcely populated. The road leading to the scene is little more than a one-way path along the edge of a ploughed field. This morning hundreds of automobiles and buggies were going to and fro, marking the route to the scene where tragedy reigned supreme over comedy.

The audience was watching a little comedy presented by the pupils when a lamp, suspended from the ceiling by a bracket, fell on the stage. Panic followed and little effort apparently was made to fight the flames, which quickly communicated to the dry timber of the little 40-foot frame building.

Mothers, with children in their arms, were trampled under foot. Young and old fought alike for exit. The stairway collapsed, many being impaled on the jagged timbers.

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IT'S UP TO THE THOUGHT

MACHINE, SAY SCIENTISTS.

Investigations going on among scientific workers concerning the causes of fatigue are upsetting a number of accepted notions as to why people get tired. The general belief is that as the body tires, the mind also experiences fatigue.

Investigations now are tending to show that it is the kind of thoughts people have that cause fatigue rather than the kind of physical conditions they are in, but of course, the importance of a sound body is not lost sight of.

Many are familiar with the great physical strength people exhibit when their minds are operating under high tension. In cases of dangerous fires, those who were moving endangered furniture have been known to lift weights that under ordinary circumstances they could not budge.

Mothers have been known to exhibit unusual strength in defense of their young. And all are familiar with the stories of how swiftly slow-footed people can run when the occasion seemed to demand it. There is a well known and energetic man in this community who for a number of years in all good faith, went about as a cripple, and tried first one remedy and then another to no purpose. Finally to use his own language, he "found that it was necessary to exert himself," and so he got busy despite his lame legs.

The result was that the man is now attending to business and is about as chipper and gay as he ever was. In a word science, as well as the moral and religious teachings, is showing that "the occasion makes the man."

It is often said that persons rarely use more than half of the potential power and it is taught by some that as a rule human beings use only 15 per cent of their potential energy.

Whatever may be the final conclusions of scientists, as to just how much people lack of "putting out" the fact is pretty well established that more and more the responsibility for what people are and how strong they are depends on the people's will and ambitions. It was asked by some great writer, what doth our Caesar feed upon that he has grown so great, or words to that effect. If the same writer were inquiring the cause of greatness today he would doubtless ask what people thought about if he should desire to know the cause of their weakness or their greatness.

WHY BUILDING DECLINES.

Rapid rise of building costs in New York City has caused suspension of building projects involving between fifty and a hundred million dollars. The greater part of this is major construction such as an \$11,000,000 telephone building, a \$10,000,000 structure for Columbia University and a \$4,000,000 Hebrew orphan asylum.

Construction in the country at large continues at the peak and this is especially true of the South. But the tie-up in New York, where costs have produced a dampening effect on projected construction, will be duplicated in other parts of the country if costs attain the prohibitive mark.

Americans are paying a good price for materials and for labor. Their homes are costing them a high sum, but they are willing to pay what they can afford.

They stopped building before, however, when costs became exorbitant and they will stop again under similar circumstances. Contractors have probably helped bring about the New York situation by active competition with one another for prompt supply of materials and for labor.

There was a lot of that kind of throat cutting just prior to the collapse of the last inflation. That is a dangerous game for contractors to play because it is of reverberating nature. It would be

a pity to have a halt called in the splendid building program of the South.

It will be prolonged to the extent that the Southern men having to do with construction avoid the causes that led to the structural suspension in New York. The new-found prosperity has been singularly conservative and there has been effort to hold price advances within reason. Safety lies in emphasis of and adherence to that policy.—Age Herald.

FORD IN THE NEWS.

"Ford Fortune Near \$750,000,000."
"Ford Buys Kentucky Coal Lands."
"Ford Buys Georgia Beauxite Land."
"Ford to Erect Textile Mill."
"Ford Buys New Hampshire Garnet Quarries."
"Ford Not Borrowing."

Hardly a day passes but the news columns carry some item concerning the industrial wizard of Michigan.

If he is not buying some new property and getting a supply of raw material, he is contemplating the erection of new plants, the harnessing of streams, or his name is mentioned as a possible Presidential candidate.

Whatever Ford does, whatever happens to him, business is news. He is, perhaps, the best advertised man in the United States and with the least cash outlay for advertising.

Every time a Ford deal is announced, Wall street perks up and wants to know if Ford is borrowing money.

Every time he announces a revision of price, the automobile industry looks up and wonders if it will be the last.

The power that Ford wields for good or evil in this country is so vast that his every movement must be watched.

If he is the wealthiest individual in the United States today; if he has more ready cash at his command than any other, he is making better use of it than most rich men. He is putting his money to work at every opportunity and he is spreading prosperity in every community that he enters.

His rise to fortune was swift, but he has won in the face of stern competition and his success sets men to wondering if Ford isn't just a little bit better equipped with horse sense than some of our "captains of industry," whose every effort has been bent toward throttling competition.—Nashville Tennessean.

WOULD DESTROY THE ARMY.

Secretary Weeks of the War Department, recently denounced the propaganda of the pacifists who are earnestly endeavoring to destroy the army and navy. It is being industriously charged that 85 per cent of the revenue of the federal government are collected because of wars, past, present and future and that if only the army and navy were abolished taxes would be reduced materially.

It is all too true that a large portion of the nation's revenues are devoted to military purposes but the proposition that goes to abolish the army and navy is a little too risky to be tried just yet even if it does save money.

The present cost of the army and navy is \$3 per capita. The big bill is for wars already fought. But can a man be found who would deny pensions for old soldiers, funds for homes for the cripples and the like?

The suggestion is a monstrous one. Many of those who are now paying the most in taxes are the ones who profited most in the last war. What cause have they for complaint?

Behind every organization is force. Unless a government have force its enemies will destroy it. Civilization has not yet progressed to the point where a man can leave his doors unlocked against people of this country or of other countries. There has to be a ready body of men to help out when some one tries to carry off what does not belong to him. Those who would destroy society are held in check only by force.

Talk as we will about the consent of the governed it is nevertheless true that behind every government there is force. The army now is not large enough to do police duty alone. As a force to protect individuals in the enjoyment of their constitutional guarantees of life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness it is worth more than its costs.

Nations like individuals have honor. To the man who prizes his honor there are worse things than death. To the nation that would guard its honor there are things worse than war with all of its brood of ills.—Columbia Herald.

If things keep going up everybody will be having a high time before much longer.

If one really wants to be remembered, planting some good deed in the mind of a little child. Long after the donor has forgotten, it will still be treasured in the mind of that little one, and like a small rivulet fingering its way down the mountain side among moss and rocks, will soon join larger volumes of water and help to make the bold streams which help keep the mighty ocean at high tide. At the time it is rendered, in the mind of the child it is hardly noticed, but it is cumulative, and being implanted on the mind, recurs to the recipient often and anon in after life and helps to smooth the way over which tender feet must pass on a thorny way.

EXTREME HOME TOWN

LOYALTY.

Home town loyalty is a fine thing, but it can be carried a little too far. Take the case of Mr. Harding. As President, it devolved upon him to appoint a postmaster at Bedford, Va. Naturally there are a number of active Republicans in Bedford who have had their eyes on the postmaster-ship of that town for quite a while. When they voted for Mr. Harding and cast the weight of their personal influence for him in the Presidential race, they had an idea that one of the fruits of victory would be a chance to be postmaster, with all the appurtenances thereunto belonging.

What must have been the disappointment among the faithful in Bedford when Mr. Harding, completely ignoring native ability and hopes, went to Marion, O., his home town, to pick a postmaster for Bedford, Va.

H. M. Stowe, the home-town appointee, may have known that such a town as Bedford, Va., existed before he was appointed its postmaster, and he certainly has looked it up on the map since, but it is doubtful if Bedford, Va., folk knew that H. M. Stowe existed.

Bedford people resent the thrusting upon them of a postmaster from Mr. Harding's home town. They cannot understand why Mr. Harding should find it necessary to go to Ohio to get a postmaster for a Virginia town and they have held a mass meeting of protest, but it did no good. From Washington comes the word that Mr. Harding will stand squarely behind the appointment of Mr. Stowe and Bedford people, if they wish to get their mail must get used to having it supervised by a Marion, O., man who enjoys the esteem of the editor of the Marion Star whose temporary address is "The White House, Washington." The appointment smacks a bit of carpet bag-

Dr. J. Marion Sims' name stands out as one of the greatest physicians Alabama has produced.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

The undersigned, under and by authority and order of the Probate Court of Morgan County, Alabama, will, on the 11th day of June, 1923 between the hours of 12 o'clock noon and 4 o'clock p. m. offer for sale the following described real estate, situated in Morgan County, Alabama, to-wit:

East half of northeast quarter, Section 14, Township 8, Range 3 West, containing 80 acres.
Three and one-half acres south of Mill Creek, and evenly on the east side of west half of northeast quarter, Section 14, Township 8, Range 3 West. 20 acres on the north side of the southeast quarter of Section 14, Township 8, Range 3 West, bounded on the north by the property of J. D. Cook and John M. McCormack; on the south and west by property of C. S. Chenault, and on the east by property of A. G. Patterson.

West half of southwest quarter of southwest, quarter of Section 11, Township 8, Range 3 West.
54 acres on the east side of southeast quarter less 1 acre for the pike, Section 10, Township 8, Range 3 West, being bounded on the north by the lands of J. C. Tidwell; on the south by lands of C. A. Alsbrook; on the west by lands of H. D. Cole, J. D. Cook and J. F. Bean.

Said sale to take place in front of the courthouse door, in Decatur, Ala., and will be on the following terms:

All cash, or if better prices may be realized, then the same may be sold for one-third cash, one-third in one year and one-third in two years, deferred payments to be secured by first mortgage on property sold, with provision in the mortgage for sale in case of default in any part of the purchase money.

The several tracts of land above described will first be offered separately, and then as a whole, and the way they bring the most will be considered as the sale method, subject to confirmation.

E. P. COOK,
Administrator of Estate of J. D. Cook, deceased. May 11 1923

It recalls the days when the party in power felt it necessary to fill all Southern offices with Northern men who wanted jobs. It is as if the Republican party through its chief, said to Bedford, Va., "you have no person among you who is capable of being postmaster."—Anniston Star.

The bar against the immigration of cheap labor into the United States is bothering the rich more than the absence of a sure enough bar.

Beware of the olive branch in the hands of a man who carries a big pistol.

There was an old song like this: "He is rich for he's got the tin" meaning Henry Ford, no doubt.

There is one good thing about long time dancers. They are too tired to be interviewed after the ball is over.

The acid test as to whether jealousy is present is to see the other fellow on the eye of landing the prize.

A dog while riding by, seated on the running board of an auto, barked at a pedestrian dog, so much like humanity that it is believed he said: "Just tell them that you saw me."

One selfmade thing that is not good—money.

Germany is broke all right. The only question is did the Fatherland break full handed.

If Russia saw herself as others see her, she would not have the gall to ask any nation to recognize her.

One asset the community has forgotten about—the community house. Hearing about it is like getting money from home.

No way has ever been found whereby two wrongs can be so fitted together as to make one right.

The boll weevils of today in two months time will be grand fathers and grand mothers about a thousand times removed, it is said.

The reason the gods are said to love the beaten, is because undefeated people seldom learn any really valuable lessons.



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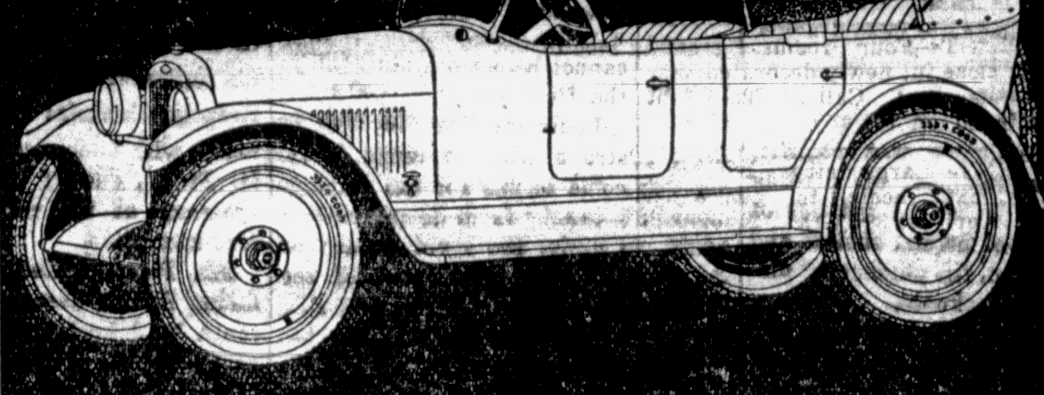
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FOR SALE—New process 4-burner oil stove, Boss oven, in good condition; for \$7. Apply 13 Prospect Drive. 18 3t

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FOR SALE—A nice 6-room house, bath, gas and electric light, connected all conveniences, at 308 W. Church St., Decatur, Ala. 5 17 6t

FOR SALE—Plants, Ponderosa tomato, bell pepper, salvia, 10c dozen, 3 for 25c. P. B. Hale. Phone Albany 31, R 2 after 6 p. m. 17 3t

FOR SALE—5-room house 3rd Ave. south \$2,100; 904 Somerville road and Sherman St. at \$2,500; \$750 cash, balance terms; large home on Sherman St., at \$5,000. J. A. Thornhill.

HOUSE FOR SALE—Where you want it, when you want it, how you want it. Otto Moebes Real Estate. 6 tf.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Olinshie building, corner of Bank and Church streets. Also rooms on second floor of building. Apply John R. Witt, Belle Mina. 2 tf.

FOR SALE—Twenty five young work mules, 2, 3, and 4 years old, also the home of Star Pointer Jr., the best bred Hal stud in the United States. It's a big claim, but I have papers to prove. John R. Witt, Belle Mina. 2 tf.

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OLD NEWSPAPERS for sale at the Albany-Decatur Daily office. 1t.

FOR SALE—Old square piano that may be converted into a handsome library table. Call Albany 46. 15 tf.

FOR SALE—CHICKENS AND EGGS—We have 10 W. Leghorn cockerels weight 11-12 pounds, price \$1 each; 5 Buff Orpington cockerels, 1 year old, \$1.50 each; White Leghorn eggs (Ferris Strain), \$1 a setting. BAILEY & FRAZIER, Bank St. 15 3t

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—3 downstairs rooms unfurnished; private entrance; modern conveniences, 430 Grant Street. Phone Albany 222-J. 5 17 3t

FOR RENT—Elegant stand in former postoffice building, Decatur, 24 120 ft. with cellar under entire floor. Apply to T. M. Jones. 5 17 1t

FOR RENT—One 4-room flat, all modern conveniences, also one four room flat unfurnished. Apply to Penney & Whitman. 5 17 3t

FOR RENT—Four rooms, ground floor; close in; newly decorated; garage; low rent. Call at 325 Grant St. 16 3t

FOR RENT—Large airy bedrooms; lights, bath, heat; to gentlemen only. Apply at 316 Grant St. or call Albany 383. 14 6t

FOR RENT, PASTURAGE—100 acres Johnson grass and Lespedeza pasture, \$2 a head a month. W. E. Steed, R. 1, Albany, Ala. M1 1m

WANTED

SPECIAL—St. Joseph Dry Cleaners: Suits cleaned and pressed, 50c; Suits pressed 25c; Ladies plain dress, 50 cents. Phone 86 Decatur, and we will call for clothes. 12 6t

WANTED—Young man of ability and integrity to sell our policies in full or spare time. Attractive policies. Liberal commissions with permanent renewal. Write Ind. Dept., General Accident, Fourth and Walnut, Philadelphia. 18 2t

LOST OR FOUND

LOST—30x3 1-2 Goodyear tire, and rim Saturday, return to J. L. Draper at Courthouse or call Albany 352-J. Reward. 5 16 3t

FOUND—On a street in Decatur, one bicycle. Upon its being identified and on payment of this notice the machine will be given to owner. C. M. Riggsbee, phone 200, Decatur. 5 17 3t

Kellogg's Bran Is nature's relief from the terrors of constipation!

Never make light of constipation or any one of its symptoms—there is no telling what disease you may be heading into! The one thing to do—IMMEDIATELY—is to fight constipation to the last ditch! Not with pills or cathartics; they cannot give you lasting relief! Not with foods with a low bran content; they do not have the bran-bulk to do the work! What you need, what will give you permanent relief is Kellogg's Bran because it is ALL BRAN! Kellogg's is scientifically prepared to relieve constipation. It will relieve the chronic case or the mild case. You need it, your family needs it!

But, you must eat Kellogg's Bran regularly—each day! At least two tablespoonfuls; in chronic cases this amount with each meal! And, eating Kellogg's Bran is a delight rather than a hardship. It has a delicious, appealing nut-like flavor that wins the most fastidious appetite.

Every day when you eat Kellogg's Bran as a cereal, sprinkled on your favorite hot or cold cereal or cooked or mixed with cold cereals, think of the health every spoonful contains for you! Think how Kellogg's Bran is sweeping and cleansing the alimentary tract; how it is driving out the toxic poisons and freeing your system from dangers of dreaded diseases! Your physician will recommend it.

Kellogg's Bran is extra-delicious made into countless bakery batches. Recipes on every package.

All grocers sell Kellogg's Bran; it is also obtainable at first-class hotels and clubs in individual packages. Ask for it at your restaurant.

Mosquito Breeding Places Are Often Found Where They Are Least Expected

Nine times out of ten—at least that often—when complaints are made by neighbors against other neighbors in connection with the presence of mosquitoes, the pests originate right on the premises from which the complaint comes. This is the opinion of J. M. Holly, Morgan County sanitary officer, and Col. William D. Wrightson, federal anti-malaria commissioner for North Alabama warmly support the same opinion.

Mr. Holly gave out the following examples to prove his contention: A farmer not a hundred miles from the Twin Cities complained to Mr. Holly that the mosquitoes that had been biting his family could not be located. Mr. Holly then went over the farm with the farmer, and to make a long search a short one, in an old stump where water was standing was found a great army of the malaria carrying mosquitoes. The farmer hurried off and dosed the old stump with much

coal oil, and later drained the stump.

Example No. 2—A woman wrote Mr. Holly declaring by all that is good and bad that she had searched diligently, and that would Mr. Holly help her locate the mosquitoes that were making life miserable for her children. After a long search, Mr. Holly said to the anxious mother, as he kicked over an old pitcher of water in the tall grass, "There, do you see the mosquitoes making their escape?"

Thirdly, an irate dweller in the near suburbs of Albany and Decatur, demanded that Mr. Holly locate the mosquito pests on his place, or else make the neighbors clean up. After a long search the guttering of the man's house was found full of mosquito breeding water in one place, where a bird's nest had stopped up the gutter. "And the last case is worst of all," said Mr. Holly "I found mosquitoes in a cuspidor in a public place that ends the chapter," said the health preacher and worker.

NEWS OF CAPITAL

MONTGOMERY, Ala., May 18.—"The Convention City" is the name that many have applied to Montgomery during the last few months and during the present week the name has forced attention on the citizenry of Alabama.

The present week has been marked by six conventions, numbering the realtors, opticians, insurance men, bankers, farm bureau members and the Southern Intercollegiate Conference track and field meet.

Next week the State League of Women Voters will hold forth in annual session, while the Ancient Order of the Mystic Shrine will carry out an elaborate fireworks display in Cramton Bowl next Friday and Saturday night.

"The South's Olympic Games" is the way they're terming the Southern Intercollegiate Conference track and field meet scheduled for Montgomery Friday and Saturday.

The meet marks the first event of its kind held in the South by the newly-organized Southern Conference and assurance of it being the most elaborate meet ever held in the Southern states is felt by officials.

Seventeen colleges and universities, ranging in territory from the moonlit shores of Chesapeake Bay to the winding Latin quarters of historic old New Orleans, will be represented in the classic that is expected to draw thousands of fans from this section.

Mississippi A. & M. College, of Starkville, Miss., continues to rule the favorite to cop the meet, although with so many entries that the winner cannot be certain until the judges call the final event.

Louisiana State University, with a strong team this year, is certain to come back fighting, for a victory by

LOST—Sterling silver card case containing small amount of change and some blank checks. Reward for recovery. Notify L. R. Jacks, phone 470, Decatur. 18 6t

ONE dark bay pony lost, strayed or stolen Left Saturday, May 12, about 4 or 5 feet high, long mane and tail and no shoes. Return to 1318 Third Ave., S., and receive reward. 18 3t

MISCELLANEOUS

MILL WOOD, DRY KINDLING, Tomato and bean sticks. Get it while it lasts as we will not have it when Winter comes. Decatur Box and Basket Co. 23-1t

DO YOU want to buy a cow and calf? Animals may be seen at 11 Ash St., Albany, Ala. 14tf

EXCHANGE your old refrigerator for a new one at Carrell Furniture Co. 16 3t

I SELL RADIO poles, 50 feet high and put them up. Charles Poole, phone Albany 3005. 16 6t

MONEY TO LOAN 6 PER CENT On residence property in Albany or Decatur, 3 years or longer; no commission charges. F. D. PEBBLES, Box 654, Phone Albany 732. 18 2t

How They Stand

SOUTHERN LEAGUE			
	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
New Orleans	18	10	.642
Mobile	15	11	.577
Nashville	14	12	.539
Chattanooga	14	12	.539
Atlanta	13	14	.478
Memphis	11	13	.458
Birmingham	11	15	.423
Little Rock	8	17	.320

Yesterday's Results.
Chattanooga 4, Birmingham 3.
Mobile 3, Little Rock 0.
Atlanta 5, Nashville 3.
New Orleans 3, Memphis 2.

Today's Games.
Chattanooga at Birmingham.
Nashville at Atlanta.
Little Rock at Mobile.
Memphis at New Orleans.

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
New York	20	7	.740
St. Louis	16	12	.562
Pittsburg	13	13	.500
Cincinnati	12	13	.478
Boston	12	13	.478
Chicago	12	14	.455
Brooklyn	7	17	.291

Yesterday's Results.
St. Louis 6, Brooklyn 3.
Boston 1, Pittsburg 0.
New York 13, Cincinnati 4.
Chicago 7, Philadelphia 4.

Today's Games.
St. Louis at Brooklyn.
Pittsburg at Boston.
Cincinnati at New York.
Chicago at Philadelphia.

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
New York	18	8	.693
Philadelphia	14	10	.584
Cleveland	15	12	.555
Detroit	14	13	.520
St. Louis	11	14	.440
Washington	10	13	.435
Chicago	9	14	.389
Boston	7	14	.333

Yesterday's Results.
New York 9, St. Louis 2.
Washington 3, Chicago 2.
Detroit 6, Boston 2.
Philadelphia 4, Cleveland 2.

Don't forget our Saturday's special: A full pound of assorted chocolates for 3¢ cents. McDougald & Woodard. —Adv.

Nurse Saves 2 People From Operaton

"I had two patients that the doctors seemed unable to reach with their medicines, and in both cases advised the knife. A friend who had tried Mayr's Wonderful Remedy for stomach trouble, proposed that I recommend it to my patients, which I did. Both are now entirely well. I am glad that I was able to recommend it." It removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded by druggists everywhere. —Adv.

Carpenters To Be Barbecue Guests

For carpenters only, the J. B. Bush Lumber Company will give a barbecue Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock, at the company's mill at the corner of Market and Ferry streets, according to announcement made by J. D. Bush this morning.

ICE CREAM SUPPER
There will be an ice cream supper at Curtis Wells on Moulton Pike Saturday night, May 19th. Music and a good time for all. Adv. 5 17 3t

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Judge Disqualified In Whipping Case

By Associated Press.
CROSS CITY, Fla., May 18.—Trial of Walter Higginbotham charged with first degree murder growing out of the death of Martin Tabert of North Dakota, in a convict labor camp, was halted again today when the defense filed affidavits from two citizens accusing Judge Maltory Horne, presiding jurist, of being prejudiced against the defendant.

Judge Horne disqualified himself and recessed the hearing until Governor Hardee could name a new judge to come here and preside.

Bonar Law May Quit the Cabinet

(Associated Press.)
PARIS, May 18.—The health of Andrew Bonar Law, according to information derived from persons in close relation with the British prime minister, is so seriously affected that his retirement appears to be only a matter of weeks or only days.

Swiss Blamed for Death of Vorovsky

(Associated Press.)
MOSCOW, May 18.—A Russian soviet note sent by Foreign Minister Tchitcherin to the Swiss government in the government responsible for the recent assassination at Lausanne of M. Vorovsky.

THE WEATHER
FOR ALABAMA—Mostly cloudy, probably local showers Saturday and in west portion tonight; little change in temperature.

Hearing Opened On Power Line Plans

(Continued from page 1.)
Company permission for the right to construct a power line from Huntsville to Sheffield.

Witnesses in favor of the granting of the petition were heard during the morning session.

The hearing probably will last over tomorrow.

Kiwanis Is Strong For Home Agent

(Continued from page 1.)
from their planting. "I believe the farmers of the county are anxious for the home demonstration work, and that they would so express themselves had they the time and the opportunity."

The matter of securing the endorsement of the proposed department was presented to the Kiwanians by Mrs. Vera Austell, who made a strong statement setting forth the advantages of such a department. Mrs. Austell stated that a number of Twin City people expected to attend the "short course convention" of the farm demonstration clubs in Madison County next week, in Huntsville, and asked any "doubting Thomases" who were not now for giving the farm women of the county equal advantages with the men farmers, to visit the Huntsville meeting.

Hospital Campaign Is Nearing Its Goal

(Continued from page one.)
ment was started, is still supporting it, and stated today that he was urging employees of the ferries to make pledges to the hospital fund and pay them off with regular contributions from their pay envelopes from week to week.

J. W. Clifton, the general chairman for Decatur, was not in the cities today, but reports from him a few days ago indicate that he and his committeemen are busy on the way to success for the hospital campaign.

"THE PAIN-IT'S GONE"

"That Prescription Did It."

"A week ago I was suffering such excruciating pain from neuralgia and headache that I felt it would drive me crazy. I could not take aspirin or phenacetin on account of my heart. But the druggist advised me to try Kozol which he said was made from a splendid prescription. It not only dispelled the pain, but to my surprise had no effect whatever on the heart. I gave it to one of my neighbors suffering from sciatica and it proved equally effective."

Kozol can be obtained from your druggist in tablet form. Its freedom from any unpleasant after-effects, so often experienced from other preparations, makes it a most desirable remedy when seeking relief from pain or colds. —Adv.

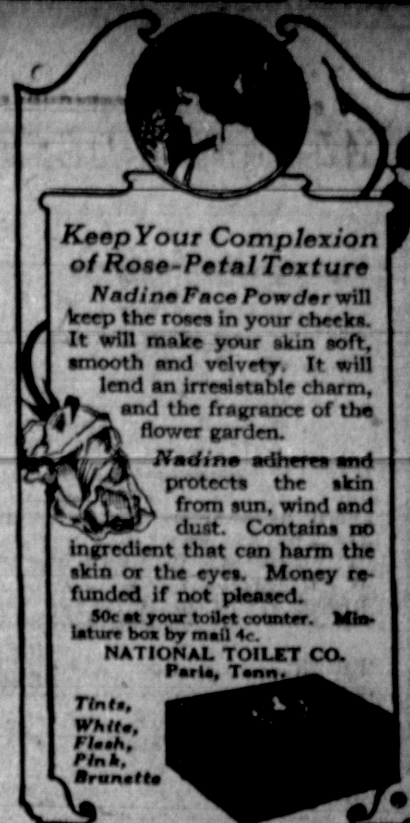
COUNCIL TO MEET
The Albany City Council will hold a regular session tonight at the city hall. It is expected that additional street paving ordinances will be presented, in addition to the regular routine.

Special Notice

There are many imitations of O'Neill's Vegetable Remedy VR Tablets, the great herbal treatment for constipation and torpid liver.

Caution—Call for O'Neill's VR. The genuine Vegetable Remedy—VR Tablets are put up only in the Red, White and Blue metal box, bearing the photo of Mr. O'Neill and the same of F. J. O'Neill Medicine Co., St. Louis. Also proprietors of the famous Indigestion Tablets—that make sick stomachs glad. —Adv.

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Nadine Face Powder will keep the roses in your cheeks. It will make your skin soft, smooth and velvety. It will lend an irresistible charm, and the fragrance of the flower garden.

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Cakes Small Angel Food **35c**

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Bacon Wilson's Certified 1 Lb. Cartons Sliced **39c**

Butter Sunset Gold Per Pound **46c**

Just arrived, lot of regular Hams, Swift Premium and Wilson Certified. Looking for more picnic hams to arrive Saturday.



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"Better and better every day and in every way" if you let us test your eyes for you and fit you with the proper glasses.

You do not know how many people are trying to "get by" with glasses that do not fit. Let us fit and put the right kind of glasses on you and you will see how much comfort and ease you can get by their use. Our sale is still on and we are giving the best quality P. C. X. lenses in a frame of the above style for

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Statement of
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RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Cash and Due from Banks	\$ 464,684.35	Capital Stock	\$ 175,000.00
Call Loans	850,000.00	Surplus Fund	175,000.00
		Undivided Profits	
Loans and Discounts	1,314,684.35	and Reserve	80,297.72
Stocks and Bonds	2,944,123.62	Deposits	4,143,108.11
Overdrafts	162,575.72		
Banking Houses (16)	3,367.87		
Furniture and Fixtures	90,500.00		
Real Estate	36,750.00		
Other Resources	8,100.00		
	13,242.27		
	\$4,573,343.33		\$4,573,343.33

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A wonderful opportunity for you to supply your wants for the summer. Make your purchases while the picking is good. Our allowance on these specials is two lots a year. No better stockings can be had at any price. This is a big assertion but we have the goods here to back it up. A real all silk, 12 strand stocking, lisle top, lisle foot and reinforced heel and full fashioned. You will need a lot of these this summer and it will be a long time before you will have the opportunity to buy GORDON FULL FASHIONED SILK HOSE at this remarkably low price, \$2.50 value for

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SOCIETY NEWS

Margaret C. Shelton—Phone Decatur 362.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

Thursday Club, Mrs. J. Y. Hamill.
Entre Nous, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Jones, Jr.
Friday Thirteen, Mrs. D. Perkins. Canal Street Rook Club, Mrs. J. D. Wyker.
W. C. T. U., 3 p. m., Y. M. A.

MISS BAILEY TO APPEAR IN RECITAL

A piano recital will be given this evening at 8:15 o'clock in the auditorium of the Decatur school by Miss Babye Bess Bailey, assisted by Mrs. A. T. Hanson, soprano soloist.

Miss Bailey, the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Bailey, is a popular member of the high school set and is a musician of unusual talent and promise. Mrs. Hanson is one of the Twin Cities' best-known singers. Everyone is cordially invited.

RECITAL AT D. H. S.

The expression and music departments of the Decatur High School, under the direction of Miss Margery Raney and Miss Lucille Bailey, presented about 20 of their pupils in recital last night. Each number was a credit to the year's work.

Special mention should be made of the following, as they have only appeared for the past several months: Little Misses Hilda Carpenter, Mary Elizabeth George, Jane Irwin, Marie Ballas and Julia Bingham.

BAPTIST YOUNG PEOPLE MEET

The Baptist young people of Morgan County will hold a quarterly convention at the Central Baptist Church in Albany on Saturday, May 19. The program will begin at 2 p. m., preceded by a councilors' meeting at 1:30 p. m.

All young people and their interested friends are invited. The program will be interesting to all ages, principal features will be the foreign mission pageant, an address by a student volunteer and an address by the northern district superintendent of young people.

THURSDAY CLUB

Mrs. J. Y. Hamill was hostess to the Thursday Club and one supplementary guest, Mrs. Max O. King, on Thursday afternoon.

Vases of beautiful roses were placed in the reception and living rooms, where the bridge game was played. Mrs. Hamill won the club prize and a memento was presented to Mrs. King.

A tempting salad course with ice tea was served after the game.

Mrs. Max King will leave Saturday morning to attend the commencement exercises at Howard College and to be the guest of friends there for several days, en route to Lancaster, S. C., where she will spend a month with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Sowell. Later Mrs. King will join Mr. King at Mayfield, Ky., where they will remain for several months.

Albert Jervis, student at Auburn for the past year, is at home for the summer holidays.

Miss Kirk Baker has returned to her home in Cullman, after a week's visit to her sister, Mrs. Charles Grayson.

Mrs. C. T. Happer, who is visiting her mother in Courtland, accompanied by Miss Lavinia Chardevoyne, were guests of friends here on Thursday.

Mrs. J. E. Penney, of Birmingham, is expected next week to be the guest of friends and relatives.

Miss Madolyn Troup, who is attending Woman's College in Montgomery, is expected home May 29.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Patterson, of Jacksonville, Tex.; Miss Grace Patterson, of New York, and Mrs. S. J. Patterson, of Birmingham, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Patterson on Jackson street.

Mrs. H. H. Huddleston and two children will leave Tuesday for a visit to Maryville, Tenn. They will be guests of Dr. and Mrs. Huddleston.

Mrs. W. B. Smith has returned to her home in Birmingham after a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Cortner.

Mrs. Hubert Young and four children, of Corinth, Miss., who have been the guests of Dr. and Mrs. H. D. Greer for the past week, will leave Saturday for their home.

Charles Woodard is doing nicely following an operation at the Benevolent Hospital.

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McCLUSKEY-ENGLE.

Miss Lent Lee Engle and Mr. Ellis O. McCluskey, were married quietly before a few friends Wednesday evening in the parlor of the Southside Baptist church. The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. F. Olive, the pastor. Mr. McCluskey is in the service of the United States Navy and will leave soon to complete his period of service, after which the couple will make their home here.

Postmaster W. E. Crawford is now taking his vacation and expects to leave soon for Florida, it was stated at the Decatur postoffice this morning.

TOM THUMB WEDDING AT ALBANY H. S. AT 8 O'CLOCK

This evening at 8 o'clock the "Tom Thumb Wedding" will be presented in the auditorium of the A. H. S. under the direction of Misses Wilmer Ross and Madeline Lile. Those taking part are as follows:

Bride, Donnie Blackwell; groom, Johnnie Sears; maid of honor, Jane Crawford; maids, Aveline Grayson, Sara Sue Hughes, Frances Maubly, Mary Pirlie, Betty Baird, Katherine Friedkin; groomsmen, Early Phinifly, Joe Otte, John Greene, Billy Day, David Boston, Tom Lee Beauchamp; best man, Billy Comerford; flower girls, Annie Freeman, Louise Watkins; ring-bearer, Madolyn McKnight; preacher, Stanley Dunaway.

The small admission fee will be devoted to the treasury of the P. T. A. organization. This band of ladies are earnestly trying to assist the board of education in its small way, aiding with the cafeteria and by placing motion picture machines in the schools, that the pupils may enjoy the latest methods of teaching. You and your friends are expected this evening. By your presence giving co-operation to the faculty and P. T. A.

The pupils of Misses Stella Orr and Carolyn Naflet will assist on the program. The admission fee is 10 cents. The program will open promptly at 8 o'clock. Show your civic pride by supporting this effort and see the children at their best.

Miss Mattie Gilchrist and Dr. Gilchrist, of Courtland, were visitors here yesterday.

Invitations have been received by friends of Earl Hamilton, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Hamilton, for the graduation exercises at the State University May 20 to 22, 1923, of which class he is a member.

Alfred Hodgins, who is attending the university, is expected home tonight by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hodgins.

Robert Tweedy, of Courtland, was a business visitor in the Twin Cities Thursday.

Mrs. B. Andrews and children are spending the week-end with Mrs. W. H. Horton, at Elkmont.

J. E. Stevenson, of Danville, was here this morning on business.

Miss Eva Fennell leaves tomorrow for Birmingham.

Time Offerings Made By Chandler

Each day Chandler's offers appearing in The Daily propositions on dry goods, shoes, etc., that are money-savers to his patrons, have attracted much attention. Today this advertisement shows you where you may make 50 cents like picking it up in the road. Each day Mr. Chandler is offering a special. Read, buy and save money. If you miss these bargains it's your fault—not his.

General H. D. Clayton was president of the state university from 1886-88.

Johnston J. Hooper was a prominent Alabama journalist and humorist. Don't forget our Saturday's special:

A full pound of assorted chocolates for 38 cents. McDougald & Woodard.

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CHRIST'S ASCENSION SUBJECT OF RECTOR

The morning service Sunday at St. John's Episcopal Church was largely attended when the rector, Rev. T. G. Mundy, spoke on Christ's ascension, using the following text:

"So then after the Lord had spoken unto them, He was received up into Heaven, and sat on the right hand of God.—Mark 16:19.

The sermon of Rev. Mundy was in part as follows:

The ascension of our Lord occurred 40 days after the resurrection. Why this specific number of days is a mere conjecture. Possibly the number 40 was meant to associate the mind with the 40 years of wandering before the Jews entered the promised land.

The place of the ascension was on the Mount of Olives, near the little town of Bethany, and not far from Jerusalem. At this place Christ was away from the noise of the city and beyond the vision of curious eyes. So while He was speaking to his little company of apostles He slowly ascended and was received in a cloud which descended to meet Him.

The apostles continued to gaze until two Heavenly inhabitants informed them that this same Jesus whom they had seen ascend would some day descend as they had witnessed Him do. So being cheered by this assurance they went to Jerusalem to await the coming of the Holy Ghost.

Now what are some of the reasons for the ascension? First, it was a necessary consequence of all that preceded it.

The risen state and the 40 days demanded its occurrence, for our Lord's sojourn here after the resurrection was plainly transitory. His movements were mysterious and His life was not of the bodily order. He was with His apostles at times yet no longer of them. And their mind must have been challenged time and again to inquire, what next? For it was neither fitting that Christ should die again nor remain on earth in His present state.

Death He had already sounded and survived, and again and again He had prepared His followers for His departure. To have stayed on earth would have meant an incomplete work. So the ascension was necessary when we consider all that preceded and followed it. Again the ascension: Second, is entering a higher condition of life.

To ascend means to go from a lower to a higher plane. It does not always signify that you must increase your distance from the earth. The same idea is conveyed in the words "promotion" and "advancement." Here a person goes from something which may be good to something which is better. A secretary for a large corporation who had his desk on the first floor is advanced to general manager. It does not mean that he must go to the second or third story of that building to execute his new duties. He has simply been promoted to something which was better than he had. The same is true when a child is advanced from one grade to another in the public school. Next session the child will not necessarily have to attend classes on a higher floor. It simply means that one class has a higher standard of knowledge than another.

Thus, when we speak of our ascension and of going to Heaven it does not mean that we will go to some place at right angles to the surface of the earth. Heaven is a promotion for us. It is a higher condition of life. It is an advancement to a state of existence beyond all of our expectations. As to its location, wherever God is there is Heaven, for God is in Heaven. Thus our Lord's ascension means that He went from a lower to a higher state of existence. Once more the ascension: Third, proves that our human nature is capable of being raised to such a height.

If Christ had remained on earth and not ascended to Heaven, we would have been denied the perfect assurances of the future. The resurrection only assures us that the penalty of death and our banishment from Heaven has been remitted. It is only a guarantee that man can now conquer Satan and escape spiritual death. But we desire

more than this. We want to know if our nature is to be admitted to the eternal dwelling place in Heaven, and there before the presence of God live forever. It was this right we lost in the first Adam, and it is what we hope to have restored in the second Adam—Christ.

Where will the faithful finally dwell?

Christ is our perfect example. He experienced everything that we will ever experience except sin. He commands us to follow Him. In doing this we cannot hope to escape the dark

hours of Good Friday. We must bear our cross before we are entitled to wear a crown. We will die a natural death as He did. We will rise with a body bearing a resemblance to this one though not the same. And after we have passed before the throne of judgment, the faithful will ascend with Christ to Heaven. And according to their opportunities and ability to appropriate God's grace in this life, it is reasonable to believe that in that proportion will they occupy one of the many mansions which Christ is now preparing for them.

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New York Letter

by Lucy Jeanne Price



NEW YORK, May 18.—Many times in the past 12 months Manhattan has grown excited over the report that Queen Marie, of Roumania, was coming to visit us. New York has been particularly anxious to entertain this best-looking member of the European royalty, and each time her coming was rumored, our leading hostesses have gone seriously to work on dinner lists. Now at last we are assured definitely that September or October will see her in our midst and the rivalry with providing amusement for her is growing intense.

New York banks have no romance and little heart. I have suspected that on several occasions, but now I have my judgment confirmed in a purely impersonal way. They are almost in frowning upon "fifty-fifty marriages"—marriages in which both husband and wife continue as breadwinners after the wedding ceremony has been performed just as before, and which have found increasing popularity in New York life. Where the two principals work in the same bank, one or the other is requested to hand in his resignation immediately after the wedding. In some cases it is the bride who is asked to quit, but not always. In other instances a decision is made

as to which member of the alliance is most efficient and valuable to the bank and that notice of dismissal is given the other—and that most valued one is not at all infrequently the girl. At the National City Bank, the Guaranty Trust and others of the biggest banking institutions in the city, the rule against both continuing work is iron-clad.

New York and its surrounding territory is looking humbly to its unostentatious neighbor, Hoboken, for lessons in a big undertaking. Hoboken decided that people ought to go to church in greater numbers and with greater regularity. But it decided furthermore, that sensationalism wasn't the correct way to get them there, whatever temporary effect it might have in the way of filling individual churches. And so a little group of clergymen and laymen got together and decided to advertise. They formed the Church Advertising Association, with Rev. Henry T. Beatty as president, and Alvin G. Hapke, a practical business man, for general manager, and they have drawn Hoboken into its churches in amazing numbers. Their work has attracted such wide attention that letters are coming into them from places far distant asking how they went about it, and Manhattanites are going over to sit at their feet and learn.

Bernard Tansey is only 17, but he knows what it means to be a hero. It was revealed in court the other day that he had pleaded guilty to a charge of assault and robbery in order that his older brother—the guilty one—might go free. The older brother has confessed, however, and Bernard will not serve his sentence.

"For Value Received," a new play at the Longacre by Ethel Clayton, has in it some of the best acting we have seen this season. Maude Hanford and Augustin Duncan makes this story of a girl who "sold herself" a very real and poignant thing.

Enter Butterfly Flutter—Exit Debutante Slouch



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New York City.—The butterfly flutter is what all the girls are walking now. You remember, of course, the period in which they slouched. Also the one in which they strode. The papers had columns about it and ministers condemned the slouch from their pulpits.

Beauty specialists united with doctors to predict that the next generation would be born flat-footed and probably spineless if the fad kept up.

But now, thanks to Janet Stone, those days are gone forever and the debutante set has another mode of locomotion with which to amuse itself. Janet

and would make the play quite worth seeing even if it were not as well written as it is.

It is a well-trained pup that guards Irene Castle these days. Always as he trots at her side or lies at her feet, he keeps his guarding eye on one spot—the band of pearls and diamonds which the dancer is wearing on her left ankle. It makes no difference where she is or how honest the appearance of those about her, the chocolate-colored Pomeranian never takes his eyes off that ankle.

Can you kill a cow with kindness? That's what the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals wants to know. Six hundred inventors have submitted models and drawings for the society's \$10,000 prize contest for the best device which will slaughter the cows in the most humane manner.

Lucy Jeanne Price.

People are not without gratitude, however; much it may seem to us at times that it is an unappreciative world. A New York physician told me the other day of an experience which proves this. He had treated the wife of a laboring man whose work starts at 4 in the morning. At 7 o'clock one cold morning, the doctor was awakened by the doorbell. He found the workman waiting for him. "Doctor," he said, "my wife and I couldn't sleep last night for thinking that we hadn't thanked you for what you did for her. I'm sorry to wake you up so early, but this breakfast hour is the only time I have all day long, and I just had to come to tell you how grateful we are." It meant that the workman had no breakfast—that trip to the doctor's; and it seems as if people's hearts are pretty right, in spite of everything.

Once upon a time I had an idea, that life in a big city was more standardized, more conventional, than in smaller places. Oh, what a misconception! Where but in New York, for an example, would a householder reveal in giving the impression to passersby that his home was a zoo? Down in the Chelsea studio district there is just such a householder. An aged traveler has a home down there, with thirteen windows in the rear of the house. And each window appears from the outside to be the stall of some animal. There are the heads of a cow, a horse, a camel, a lion, a zebra, an ape and several others. It isn't a zoo at all. Just a whimsy of the traveler. He has cleverly painted the heads on a kind of grey gauze, and stretched it tightly across the windows to give the effect of the animals looking out.

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Almon States He Will Fight Plan

(Continued from Page One)

arrest in Carrollton, Mo., where, unfortunately, I was in trouble, and which has made it so hard for me here. But I couldn't help it. Seems like I have just always been unlucky.

"St. Louis was my home, and I had gone back there November 10—beat my way, me and another boy, I didn't have the railroad fare. He lived in Georgia and I joined him in Chattanooga. His name was Grady Christopher, and he didn't leave his home in Georgia until the day after the murder. So it couldn't have been me and him."

Here Wilson did not try to conceal the trouble which prison workers feel went against him at his trial. He has sold everything time and again to the Birmingham people, and it reveals an unenviable, but a very unusual life, the jail workers declare, when a boy is cast about from pillar to post, gets in with bad companions, and does not have the proper environment that would lead him in the paths of rectitude. For Tom's father died when he was around 19 months old, and his mother when was only a youth. That left him on his own responsibility—and a young boy is a poor judge of unning his own life, usually.

"That boy that was with me got killed. That was what got me in trouble in St. Louis and made things look so bad. An officer shot him when he resisted arrest and while we were both together.

"We had bought guns at St. Louis out of a pawn shop. And when Grady was killed, I was arrested on a charge of having a concealed weapon. And they gave me a six months' sentence or let. I know I had no business carrying a gun, but I always had and was used to it.

"Now my gun got me in still worse, for the police discovered that it had been stolen from some place in Carrollton and charged me with burglary and grand larceny—which was false.

"And it was here I was when a detective came from Athens with a warrant for me for Kirby Cole's murder. And I was brought back and didn't stand any show from the start."

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You are hereby notified that on the 28th day of April, 1923, a certain paper purporting to be the last will and testament of Mrs. Sarah C. McDonald was filed in this court for Probate by Mrs. Mary B. Orr, and that the 28th day of May, 1923, was appointed for the hearing thereof, at which time you can appear and contest the same if you see proper.

Witness my hand this April 28, 1923.
L. P. TROUP, Judge of Probate.

It's the Same Everywhere

By CLARA DELAFIELD

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LETTY hated the little town with its perpetual gossip and prying. When Cousin James came back for his holiday she was going to ask him to give her a position in town, where he was manager for a very large concern. She wanted to get out of it.

James Redfield was a fine example of the village boy who had gone to town and carved out success for himself. He was coming back for the first time in three or four years. Before he left last time he and Letty had had a mild flirtation, and he had kissed her.

"If you don't find anybody by the time I'm home next, maybe there'll be a chance with me," he had said.

And Letty had laughed. She knew just how much Cousin James meant by that. Just nothing at all. Only she remembered his kiss.

As she came back from the post office with his card announcing that he was coming, old Mrs. Pryor said:

"So your Cousin Redfield is coming home? I guess you two was sweet on each other, wasn't you?"

Letty flushed hotly. So already the prying eyes and venomous tongues were at work! Oh, she must get out of the place; he must give her work in town!

When she got home with her news everybody was agog.

"So Cousin James is coming back, hey?" sniffed her grandmother. "I guess he'll think himself too fine for the little old town when he gets here."

"Them New York fellows is always stuck on themselves," said Cousin Bob. "It's my opinion the only kind that goes there is the kind that's too stupid to get along in the small towns."

"Or else too clever," put in Cousin Matilda.

"They say they have to do a lot of crooked work to succeed in New York," said bachelor Uncle Tom. "They can laugh at the small town all they like, but I wouldn't soil my hands with the sort of stuff you got to handle there—no, sir!"

As Uncle Tom had never soiled his hands at anything very much, except smoking cigarettes, it appeared to be rather a matter of Hobson's choice with him.

The great day arrived. Everybody was at the station to meet Cousin James except grandmother. They all drove up to the house together in a taxi.

"Well, well, old man, it's great to have you back with us again!" said Cousin Bob, slapping him on the back.

"We certainly have been looking forward to having you, even us up, Cousin James," said Cousin Matilda, ogling him.

"We sure are pleased to see you," said Uncle Tom, accepting one of Cousin James' choice Havanas.

Letty was so humiliated she crept away. The family's double-facedness made her ashamed to meet Cousin James' eyes.

"You don't seem to extend the glad hand so cordially as the rest," said Cousin James to her that evening.

"Oh, of course I'm glad to have you here, James," answered Letty miserably.

But she could hardly sleep that night. She kept remembering how Cousin James had kissed her. How nice he was, and how different to the others! She wished that he were gone. She hated the feeling of deception.

Two or three days passed, during which Letty preserved an attitude of cold formality toward her cousin. It was on the last evening that he cornered her upon the porch.

"Letty, we're going to have this thing out," he said. "What's the matter? What have I done? Last time I was here we were such friends."

"Oh, it's nothing," said Letty, trying to keep her voice steady.

"Come on, tell me what it is!"

"Oh, Cousin James, I'm so miserable. Everybody's so double-faced. They say awful things about you behind your back and flatter you to your face. I heard Uncle Tom telling Cousin Bob he thought you and I—cared for—"

"Pshaw, that's nothing!" said Cousin James, taking her hands in his. "You get that everywhere. Why, in New York I'm supposed to go on roaring, raging tears with all the stenographers, and I can't look at a girl without somebody gossiping. I tell you, kid, it doesn't pay to be a bachelor, and I'm through with it. Remember what I said last time I was here?"

"Yes, but you didn't mean it."

"Sure I meant it. Found anybody else?"

"N-no," admitted Letty.

"Hoop-la!" said Cousin James, taking her in his arms. "It's you and me for the wilds of Gotham on the morning train. I have the license in my pocket."

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

Circuit Court, Morgan County, Alabama. In Equity:
MAGGIE M. CERASARO

VS.

MICHAEL CERASARO.

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